

ABSTRACT

A composition for inhibiting the growth of microorganisms on non-cellulosic fibres having a moisture regain of $\leq 5\%$, comprising;

- 5 i) 1 to 50 wt% of at least a self-crosslinkable resin;
- ii) 0.25 to 20 wt% of at least a catalyst;
- iii) 0.1 to 4 wt% of at least an antimicrobial active agent, reactive with the resin;
- iv) 98.65 to 26 wt% of water;
- 10 wherein i) + ii) + iii) + iv) = 100%.